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Subject: Sanctioning of a Charitable Event
Attachments: Sanctioned - Coal Classic Golf Tournament 2014.pdf

Hello Everyone! Representative Mike Hawker, Chairman of Legislative Council, has sanctioned the below charitable event:

22nd Annual Coal Classic Golf Tournament – June 11, 2014 – Anchorage Golf Course

Please see the attached information on the event and Representative Hawker's approval. Legislative Council at their February 3, 2005 meeting, granted the Chair of Legislative Council the ability to sanction charitable events under AS 24.60.080(a)(2)(B). The Chair would at the next scheduled Legislative Council meeting have the Council ratify the Chair's approval of the event(s). It will also be posted on the Intranet under Legislative Council Sanctioned Charitable Events link.

Per AS 24.60.080(a)(2)(B) it allows lobbyists to give tickets to a charitable event to Legislators and legislative staff. The charity must be a 501(c)(3) corporation and the Legislative Council must give approval in advance of the gift giving. The value of the ticket counts against the annual limit on lobbyists (\$250).

Tickets from persons who are not lobbyists may exceed the \$250 gift limit. A disclosure of the value of the ticket is required within 60 days as well as gifts received at the particular charity event that have a value of \$250 or more.

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Honorable Representative Mike Hawker
Honorable Senator Peter Micciche
Legislative Council Chair and Vice Chair
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State Capitol
Juneau, AK 99801

Re: Sanctioning of charity event – 22nd Annual Coal Classic Golf Tournament

Dear Representative Hawker and Senator Micciche,

On June 11, 2014 we will be hosting our 22nd Annual Coal Classic Golf Tournament. This will again be held at Anchorage Golf Course from 7 am until 1 pm and will include about 36 teams for a half-day shotgun event followed by lunch. I am writing to request the Legislative Council consider sanctioning our event again this year under state statute AS 24.60.080(a)(2)(B). This tournament has a long history of supporters as noted by last year's enclosed sponsorship sheet.

Alaska Resource Education is a state-wide 501(c)3 organization dedicated to educating our youth about Alaska's natural resources. We offer Alaska Resource curriculum and kits to teachers filled with materials focusing on minerals, energy and forestry. We also provide a 500-level credit course through the University of Alaska to teach educators on the use of our kit materials and curriculum. You can often find us in the classrooms teaching kids of all ages about the importance natural resources play in our state's economy, workforce and future.

I hope you will visit us at www.akresource.org to learn more about our events and our organization. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at the numbers listed above.

Warm regards,

Michelle Brunner
Executive Director